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April 29, 2008

TO: Each Health Deputy

FROM: Mario J. Pérez, Director  
Office of AIDS Programs and Policy

SUBJECT: **NOTICE OF INTENT TO AUGMENT: AIDS HEALTHCARE FOUNDATION, CONTRACT NO. H-700936 (SCHEDULE 20); BIENESTAR HUMAN SERVICES, CONTRACT NO. H-700958 (SCHEDULE 59); EAST VALLEY COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTER, CONTRACT NO. H-700911 (SCHEDULE 8); LOS ANGELES GAY AND LESBIAN CENTER, CONTRACT NO. H-700893 (SCHEDULE 22); AND TARZANA TREATMENT CENTER, CONTRACT NO. H-700890 (SCHEDULE 8), HIV COUNSELING AND TESTING SERVICES**

This is to advise you that the Department's Office of AIDS Programs and Policy will be implementing the fifteen percent provision of the above listed Contract Numbers with the above listed agencies. The provision allows the Director of Public Health or his designee authorization to augment services and allocations up to fifteen percent of the contract's budget.

We will authorize an augmentation of the following contracts:

- AIDS Healthcare Foundation, Contract No. H-700936, increasing the contract by \$4,000 resulting in a total maximum obligation of \$1,673,496.
- Bienestar Human Services, Contract No. H-700958, increasing the contract by \$4,000 resulting in a maximum obligation of \$3,360,518.
- East Valley Community Health Center, Contract No. H-700911, increasing the contract by \$6,000 resulting in a maximum obligation of \$306,000.
- Los Angeles Gay and Lesbian Center, Contract No. H-700893, increasing the contract by \$3,000 resulting in a maximum obligation of \$1,929,768.
- Tarzana Treatment Center, Contract No. H-700890, increasing the contract by \$6,000 resulting in a maximum obligation of \$306,000.

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These funds will enable the agency to purchase phlebotomy training for HIV Counseling and Testing (HCT) staff to conduct syphilis testing within the existing HCT program. Funding is one-time-only and will be obtained from the Sexually Transmitted Disease Program via the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please let me know within two weeks of the date of this letter. Unless I hear otherwise from you, the augmentation will be implemented.

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